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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

WEDNESDAY, *November* 21, 1750.

ALGIERS, July 1.

HAVING been for ſeveral months paſt in expectation of a viſit from the Spaniards, we have taken the neceſſary precautions in order to be prepar'd againſt all events. The three beys, who are charged with the government of the provinces, have receiv'd orders to form magazines in their reſpective diſtricts ſufficient for the ſubſiſtance of a conſiderable body of troops. The fort at the light-houſe, which is defended by three batteries of braſs cannon, is put in a much better ſituation than it uſed to be, as are alſo the forts at the entrance of the port, and near the ſea. The military eſtabliſhment of the republic is augmented from 12 to 15000 men, by the reinforcement which the grand ſignior has granted the regency. The four nations of Moors, which are each of them obliged to furniſh a certain number of men for the ſervice of the ſtate, have receiv'd orders to put themſelves in a condition to double their contingent, in caſe it ſhould be requir'd of them. The three camps which are form'd here every ſpring, have been kept longer than ordinary this year, in order to exerciſe the troops. The marine of Algiers at preſent conſiſts, excluſive of the admiral's ſhip, of 24 men of war, beſides ſloops, galleys, &c. Notwithſtanding the reports of an enterprize intended by the Spaniards, the Spaniſh hoſpital, founded by the confeſſor of don John of Auſtria, enjoys the ſame protection from the republic.

Hamburgh, July 31. As the Dutch merchants have for a long time been preferr'd to thoſe of other nations in the ſale of their herrings here, we hear they are applying to the magiſtracy of this place to have that preference continued, and their application is ſeconded by Mr. Buys, miniſter from the republic of the United Provinces.

Extract of a letter from Hamburgh, Auguſt 18.

It is true, as they write from London (who their London correſpondent is does not appear) that the commiſſaries appointed by his Britannic majeſty, to ſettle with thoſe of France, the limits of the provinces poſſeſſed by the two crowns in America, have poſitive orders not to deviate in the leaſt, in the courſe of their negotiation, from the article of the treaty of Utrecht that relates to the ceſſion of Acadia or Nova Scotia. But it is very probable that this affair will be ſpun out to a great length; for though France conſents to the execution of the ſaid article, yet ſhe is very far from allowing it in the ſenſe the Engliſh take it; ſo that it is not unlikely that the diſagreement about the limits of that province may be productive of new broils between the two nations, though that alone, it is thought, will not prove ſufficient to drive them into an open rupture.

Madrid, Auguſt 11. The miniſtry deliver'd a few days ago to Mr. Keen a new plan of adjuſting all differences between Spain and England; upon which the latter immediately diſpatch'd couriers to Hanover and London, to acquaint the king and the regents with the purport of this plan. The court has ſent new inſtructions to Mr. Wall, our miniſter, who is actually at Hanover. We can get no other account of this new project, than that our court inſiſts ſtrongly on the Engliſh South-Sea company's taking an equivalent for all their claims and demands, that ſo we may never more have any thing to do with them.

Genoa, Auguſt 10. On the 6th inſtant there aroſe a violent hurricane, which did great damage to this city, and all the country round about. The lightning darted down in ſo violent a manner, that ſeveral perſons were kill'd on the ſpot. Within theſe few days we have had abundance of rain, which has in a very conſiderable degree, purified the air, and proved very beneficial to the country.

Paris, Auguſt 24. The ſhip, the Amiable Renee, lately arrived at Rochelle from St. Domingo, has brought a piece of news of the greateſt importance to the trade of this kingdom, viz. That the deputies were come to St. Domingo from the inhabitants ſettled along the gulf of Darien, and had offered to put themſelves under the protection of the crown of France: That they had been ſent to that nation, in order to get a perfect knowlege of their cuſtoms, views and temper. If this project takes place, as we hope it will, France will hereby acquire a port in the gulf of Darien, which will be a ſettlement ſo much the more advantageous, as that gulf lies near the iſthmus of Panama, between Carthagena and Porto-Bello.

Extract of a letter from Paris, Auguſt 28.

We hear that the earl of Albemarle has received from the regents of Great-Britain, a memorial that was lately preſented to them by the directions of the Engliſh Eaſt-India company, wherein the latter complain, that the French in withdrawing from Madraſs and Fort St. George, carried away near 200 pieces of iron cannon, and a great quantity of warlike ſtores, which were in the place when they took it; and that the company demanded juſtice and ſatisfaction for this breach of the ninth article of the definitive treaty of peace. Along with this memorial the earl of Albemarle has received orders to make proper repreſentations to our court about the matter.

We alſo hear that meſſ. Shirley and Mildmay, the Britiſh commiſſaries here, have either received, or ſpeedily will receive, all the papers and documents that may prove the crown of Great-Britain's right to the iſlands of St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Dominica, and Tobago.

Peterſburg, Auguſt 11. By a meſſenger from the governor of Aſtracan, there is an account, that the new Shah Shawrook, of Perſia, had been dethroned, after a reign of very few months, and is ſucceeded by Solomon Doub.

The empreſs, upon advice from Conſtantinople, that the Janizaries are reſolved to have a war on the ſide of the Crim Tartary, has given orders for ſeveral regiments of infantry to file off that way.

Hague, September 1. We have received an account from Vienne in Dauphiny, by letters which came in this day from thence, that they have had ſuch prodigious quantities of rain there for ſeveral days together, that the river which runs thro' that city had greatly overflowed its banks; that the ſtream ran ſo very ſtrong, that a great number of houſes and warehouſes, and ſeveral mills had been deſtroyed by it; and many lives were loſt; that the waters had extended themſelves for ſome miles round, and done great damages in all the neighbouring villages; and that the loſs upon this occaſion was computed at about three millions of livres.

Edinburgh, Auguſt 16. By a gentleman juſt arrived here from Cromarty, we learn, that there is the appearance of a very plentiful herring fiſhing at that place: A boat belonging to Mr. Barclay, merchant, lately caught five barrels at one draught; and all hands have been ſet to work, in fitting out nets and boats for fiſhing in that firth.

LONDON

Auguſt 25. Yeſterday a meſſenger was diſpatched from Whitehall for Hanover.

September 1. If we may credit ſome of the Dutch gazettes, his majeſty will not ſet out for England till the 15th of November.

We hear that the king of Great-Britain has acquainted the king of Pruſſia with the deſign of electing the archduke Joſeph king of the Romans; by which means the repoſe of the German empire will be ſettled on a ſolid foundation.

Auguſt

August 23. It appears by all the accounts from Nova-Scotia, that tho' the *proper subjects* of France do not interrupt the new planters, yet they do not *hinder* the *Indians* in alliance with them, nor the *French*, who are settled under *British* protection, from doing all the *mischief* in their power to the *native subjects of Great-Britain*. And if they (the *French*) do not *hinder*, or *oppose*, such acts of hostility as we have already heard of, is it unjust to say, *they are guilty of them*, notwithstanding all their professions of *friendship*?

Would it not be *commendable policy*, therefore, to try if those *Indians* cannot be brought into other sentiments than they are kept in at present by the *Popish missionaries*? Might not *interest* (which is prevalent with all nations who know the *political sense* of that word) be made more tempting from the *bay of Fundy*, than it can be from the *river of Canada*? Certain it is, that those *poor natives* might bring down their commodities with *much less labour* to the *English* than to the *French* settlements; that we could *supply* them with the things they chiefly want, at a *cheaper rate* than the *French*; that, of course, we should give a *better price* for those commodities than the *French* do, and yet bring them to *Europe* at altogether as low a price; and that, by thus gaining to ourselves the *skin* and *fur trade*, which is so *advantageous to* France, we should make a *great addition to the manufactures of this island*. If the interest of a *particular company*, which imports only *small quantities* of the same goods, in consequence of an *exclusive charter*, should here be objected; it has been *fully proved*, and is now generally *understood*, that *private interest* should always be postponed to *public*.

By a letter from Ireland we have advice, that handsome Præmiums, with land on which houses may easily be built, will be granted to such poor Protestant families as are willing to settle a manufactory of any kind in the South-West or North-West parts of that kingdom.

From the Daily Gazetteer.

August 31. If not heard of before that time, *On Saturday the* 15*th of next month*, *will be published*, price three halfpence, English; *(ou, trois sols, monnoye de France,)*

A HUE and CRY after six French men of war, viz.

	Guns,	Men.		Guns,	Men.
La Couronne,	74	730	Le St. Lauret,	38	250
Le Sceptre	74	650	La Marshal *Saxe*	20	160
Le Hercule	64	450			
La Junon	64	450	In all,	334	2690

Under the command of M. de Macnamara, Chef d'Escadre; which escaped from the port of Brest some time in June or July last, and have since been seen in the mouth of the Tagus, or Lisbon harbour, but are at present utterly lost to those who are not in the secret of their destination, which predicament is supposed to conclude all the people of Great-Britain.——In the mean time it seems necessary that notice should be given, by those who have the proper intelligence and authority, that sufficient care is taken of all our colonies and plantations, and that there is strength enough in the West-Indies, with sufficient latitude of commission, to prevent the fortifying of the disputed islands in such manner, as that it may be a task too difficult to reduce them again to their neutral state.

BOSTON, October 22.

By a letter from Portsmouth, in New-Hampshire, we have the following further particulars by Capt. Foss, who was within 100 yards of Capt. How during the whole time of the conference, viz. That Capt. How first received a wound in his thigh, upon which he fell, and by the marks of his body in the mud, it appear'd he crawl'd 30 yards, but they keeping a constant fire, he was thereupon observ'd to stop, which when they perceiv'd they ceased firing. He was afterwards taken up, and it appear'd he had a ball through his heart. Thus fell that brave officer. Two or three days before, Capt. Robinson, who now commands the snow Fair Lady, sent his mate with four hands for water, and as they were going ashore at Gallops creek, opposite the dykes, were discovered by the French, about 30 of whom came down to the water-side, and fired upon the boat, killed one man, wounded three, and the other seeing no hopes of mercy, rowed ashore to them; they carried him to the dykes, and placed him that night amongst a number of Indians; who all falling asleep, he made his escape, and swam over two narrow creeks, and got to our army; and he says, that of the whole number that took him, there appear'd to be but one Indian among them. Capt. Foss also informs, that our army had almost compleated a fine fort there: That the beginning of the month there were 200 of the French regular troops come from Canada; that between 3 and 400 of the neutral men had join'd them. That vast quantities of wheat, potatoes, and turnips, are left behind by the neutrals: That Capt. How offer'd £. 500 sterling to release the captives among the French, among which is Mr. Winniet; but to no purpose.

Thursday last arrived here Capt. M'Cunn from Glasgow, who on his passage met with a schooner in great distress, having sprung a leak, and near sinking. She was from Bristol, bound to Newfoundland. Capt. M'Cunn took the men (7 in number) on board his vessel, but could save nothing else but their chests, and such small things as they had in the cabbin.

Extract of a letter from S. Denny, *Esq; of* Arrowsick, *dated* September 27.

"The last night the enemy beset an house on Parker's Island, in sight and call of my house, wherein there was only one man: The man fired on them 3 times out of the house, and they as often returned the fire; but while he was charging the 4th time, they broke in upon him: On which he got out of a window; and being as closely pursued, he was obliged to take to the river in order to swim over to this island: But by the time he got half way, three of the enemy in a float came up with him; and offering quarters, were about to take him in: He laid his hand on the float, and overset her at once, then proceeded on his voyage, and arrived here about 12 the same night much fatigued. The enemy set the house on fire; and tho' it burnt till some of our people went thither this morning, yet it was not consumed. They burnt a hovel and some hay in it. Our people discovered some quantity of blood where the man made his first shot. This is all worth noticing."

Extract of a letter dated from Chinecto, September 10, 1750.

We are now incamp'd in the town.——The chevalier de Caume has a number of troops, and 'tis thought all the inhabitants of this place are in arms with him, and hoists his flag in two villages to the Northward of us called Santama, distant about a league.—He sent a flag of truce the day of our landing, acquainting Col. Lawrence that some of the seamen had fired upon his troops, which, as he did not oppose us in our descent, desired he would give orders against such proceedings for the future; that he had just heard that some savages had fired upon our boats from his side, which he would prevent by setting proper guards.—The colonel sent him answer, that he was more obliged to him for his complaisance than conduct.—The letter was return'd desiring it might be wrote in French.—Col. Lawrence sent him word, that as a gentleman he would converse with him in the tongue, and would speak with him if he came over; but did not think himself so well vers'd in the French language, as to settle affairs of importance in behalf of the king his master.—The monsieur finding that he had one to deal with who was fully aware of the natural policy and design of the nation, went off.—The Indians have since fired several times from that side the river on our parties and vessels, and endeavour to alarm us in camp by firing volleys of shot at a distance by night, which may reach us, but not do any execution. We are now getting our block houses and barracks on shore, and shall soon lay out a suitable place for fortifying.

Extract of a letter, dated at St. George's *the* 7*th of* September, 1750.

All the inhabitants of this place have been in garrison a fortnight, and no business done on their lands: There came in last night twenty-five of our Indians at George's fort, and bring word, that there are eighty Indians come from Canada, and are resolved to destroy both men, women, and children: but have promised they will not fall on George's, but intend chiefly on Sheepscut or Wiscasset, where the men liv'd that kill'd one of the Indians sometime ago; but we are afraid to trust them. The Success man of war, lord Colvill, and the sloop Massachusetts, Capt. Saunders, bound to Penobscut, lie near Capt. Henderson's garrison, waiting for a wind.

Extract of a letter from S. Denny, *Esq; at* Arrowsick, *dated* September 5, 1750.

This may serve to let you know that we are well, and do just now enjoy liberty and property; but how soon it may be otherwise I know not. Yesterday I receiv'd a letter from Capt. Lithgow of Richmond dated the 3d instant, informing me that

that an Indian had been in at his garriſon and informed him, "That there were 6 Canada-Indians at Taconnick, ſollicting "the Norridgwock tribe to engage with them in a war againſt "us; and that there were about one hundred at Penobſcut, "ſollicting that tribe to engage; and that they (at Tacon-"nick) expected a canoe from Penobſcut with an account how "things would be; and then he would come and inform him "further: And adviſed them, if a number of ſtrange Indians "ſhould come to the garriſon, it would be beſt to ſhut the "gate and keep them out:" This day I am informed, That the ſaid Indian has been in again, and told Capt. Lithgow, "That he could not warrant the people any ſafety for more "than 36 hours; the matter might hold off longer, but he "could not promiſe:" This account came by one of our people from Richmond in the night laſt week. Our people are much frightened, and we know not what to do.

October 15. On the 30th of September paſt, a ſorrowful accident happened at Andover, viz. a lad about 8 or 9 years old, being left at home with one or two other children, took up a loaded gun, and playing with it, it went off, and ſhot one of the children in the breaſt, and kill'd it on the ſpot.

Wedneſday laſt his honour the lieutenant governor, with the advice of his majeſty's council, and at the deſire of the houſe of repreſentatives, was pleaſed to iſſue a proclamation, appointing Thurſday the firſt day of November, to be obſerved as a day of public thankſgiving throughout this province.

The ſame evening, a boat belonging to the Succeſs man of war, with nine men in it, going from the town to the ſaid ſhip, the wind being pretty high, was overſet between the Caſtle and Governor's Iſland, by which accident ſix of the men were drowned; two of them, who held by the boat, were taken up by a boat from the Caſtle, and the other made a ſhift to ſwim to the iſland.

We hear from Portſmouth in New-Hampſhire, that one day laſt week, ſir William Pepperel, bart. arrived there in a ſchooner of his own from England.

NEW-YORK, October 29.

We hear that a boat belonging to Peter Van Debur h, was overſet near the Highlands, by a ſquall of wind on Tueſday laſt, the men (being five in number) got on her ſide, but a woman with her infant being in the cabbin when the veſſel overſet remain'd there near three hours and a half, during which time one Lounſbery and ſome more people went off in a boat to their aſſiſtance, but having nothing to cut a hole in the veſſel to get the poor woman out; was forced to go on ſhore and fetch an Axe, before they return'd the infant expir'd in its mother's arms, but they cut the woman out alive, who hardly being able to ſurvive any longer having held all the while by a ſmall hook, and was up to the chin in water, but is likely to do well.

PHILADELPHIA, October 25.

On Monday laſt a court of oyer and terminer was held here, when Hance Ulrick Seiler, a Switzer, was indicted for the murder of his miſtreſs, the wife of David Shultz, of Upper-Hanover; to which indictment he pleaded guilty, and immediately receiv'd ſentence of death. His reaſon for doing it, he ſaid, was becauſe ſhe was croſs to him. The murder was committed on the 11th of June laſt, in the morning, about day-break, when he got into her chamber by the window (his maſter being from home) and going to her bed-ſide with the knife in his hand, ſhe happened to move ſeveral times in her ſleep, which kept him from doing the horrid deed for about half an hour: At laſt finding her faſt aſleep, he ſtuck her in the throat, about 4 inches deep, and turn'd the knife three times in the wound, upon which ſhe ſcream'd out, and got out of bed, which ſo ſtartled him, that he dropt his knife, and ran out of the houſe. By the blood found on the ſtairs, it appear'd ſhe had attempted to go for aſſiſtance from ſome women that were aſleep in the upper part of the houſe; but as ſuch a wound muſt ſoon occaſion the loſs of a vaſt quantity of blood, ſhe had not ſtrength left to get to them, or make them hear her; ſo it is thought, fell down ſtairs, and died, being found at the bottom of them, when the people got up, in the melancholy condition above repreſented.

ANNAPOLIS.

We hear from *Virginia*, that the Hon. THOMAS LEE, Eſq; Preſident of that Colony, died there on the 13th Inſtant.

About a Fortnight ſince, Capt. *Meſhach Botfield* of *Talbot* County, riding out in a Chaiſe with his Wife, was accidentally flung out, and much wounded, ſo that he died ſoon after; his Wife was likewiſe much hurt, but is recovered. He has left an elder Brother *Shadrach*, and a younger Brother *Abednego*.

Cuſtom Houſe, ANNAPOLIS; *Entered ſince* November 7.

Schooner Speedwell, James Vinſon, from Boſton;
Schooner Peggy, Goodrick Bouſh, from Virginia.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Speedwell, Nicholas Stephenſon, for London;
Ship Moſes and Rebecca, William Strachan, for London;
Schooner Peggy, Goodrick Bouſh, for Virginia;
Snow Baſil, John Simpſon, for Whitehaven;
Ship Triton, Thomas Aſkew, for London.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

STRAYED away from *Annapolis*, about the 9th of this Inſtant *November*, a middle ſiz'd Grey Mare, near 14 Hands high; has a Blaze down her Face, and is very much Flea-bitten; ſhe is ſhod all round, and is branded on the near Buttock I G, not very plain; ſhe is a natural Pacer, and has no other Gait.

Whoever will bring the ſaid Mare to the Subſcriber in *Annapolis*, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward, and no Queſtions aſk'd. JOHN ANDERSON.

NEXT MONDAY, BEING THE 26TH INSTANT,

WILL BE SOLD at Public Vendue, at 3 of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Mr. *Soumaien* in *Annapolis*, a ſtrong, able, healthy Negro Fellow, about 25 Years of Age, who has been always us'd to hard Labour, ſuch as the Axe, the Hoe, &c. and is parted with for the want of Money only. He may be ſeen at the Printer's any Time on that Day before the Sale; and will be ſold for a Bill of Exchange, or Paper Money.

JOHN LAMMOND, MUSICIAN,

At the Houſe of John Lanidale, *Shoemaker in* Annapolis,

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November 1, 1750.

A Small Yaul was run away with from *Patapſco* River, by two Convict Servants in *July* paſt, and is reported that ſhe was left near *Turkey Point*: She is a Clinch-built Boat, about 13 Feet Keel, had a Turpentine Side, Painted inſide red, and on her Gunnell red and yellow, a Rope Swifter round her, and a Pudding on her Stem. As the ſaid Boat has not been Advertiſed, it is hoped ſhe is yet in good Hands. Any Perſon who will inform the Printer hereof, where ſhe may be had again, ſhall be gratefully Rewarded to their Satisfaction.

SAILS UPON SALE.

TO be ſold Cheap, for Pipe, Hogſhead, and Barrel STAVES, a ſuit of Sails for a Schooner, the Mainſail hoiſts 19 Feet, the Boom part is 18 and a half; the Foreſail hoiſts 17 Feet; the Jibb in Proportion.

Enquire of Mr. *Lancelot Jacques*, Merchant in *Annapolis*, or of the Printer hereof.

LOST on the 16th of this Inſtant *November*, a ſmall Silver Watch, the makers Name COPE, LONDON.

Whoever finds the ſaid Watch, and brings it to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Thirty Shillings Reward, paid by
SAMUEL SOUMAIEN.

STOLEN or Strayed from the City of *Annapolis*, a young Black Horſe, of a middle ſize, well-ſet, a ſhort ſprig tail, branded on the near Buttock PL join'd together.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Horſe, and brings him to the Subſcriber, in *Annapolis*, ſhall have Fifteen Shillings Reward. WALTER DULANY.

A Small Yaul, &c. to be paid by Capt Rundell for Capt North.

Nanticoke River, *Dorchester* County.

RAN away from the Subscriber, a Servant Man, named *William Handley*, a Cooper by Trade, of a middle Stature, thin Visage, long Nose, very free of Talking, and served his Time in *London*. Had on when he went away two Jackets, one of striped Flannel, the other of Broad Cloth lined with red, a Pair of Breeches, Shoes and Stockings, a Worsted Cap, a cock'd Hat, two Shirts, one Check the other white.

Whoever secures the said Servant, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by

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Subscriptions are taken in by *Jonas Green*, at *Annapolis*; and by Others, who have Printed Proposals for that Purpose.

RAN away on Monday, the 12th of this Instant *November*, from the Subscriber living near *Mount-Pleasant*, an indented Servant Man, named *Michael Warnett*, a *Frenchman*, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, Pock broken; had on when he went away, two red Waistcoats, a Pair of Fustian Breeches, Yarn Stockings a Felt Hat, and wears his own Hair.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so as his Master may get him again, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, paid by

GEORGE MACKSENE.

RAN away from the Ship *Moses* and *Rebecca*, *William Strachan* Master, now lying at *Benedict* in *Patuxent* River, on the 14th of *October* last, a Convict Servant Man, belonging to Mr. *Patrick Creagh*, Merchant in *Annapolis*; his name is *Edward Check*, an *Englishman*, about 5 Feet 3 Inches high, Pock-broken; had on and about him, a blue Jacket, great Coat with a Cape to it of a brown colour, red Waistcoat, Pair of Trowsers, and a Hat cut in the Brim: He has carried off a Horse, Two Pounds Eleven Shillings and Six Pence in Money, which he had to pay for Twelve Hogsheads of Tobacco, at *St. Leonard's* Creek Inspection-House: He may probably forge a Pass, for he can write, and has a smooth Way of Talking.

Whoever secures the said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, or brings him on board the said Ship, shall have Two Pistoles Reward, paid by

WILLIAM STRACHAN.

STRAYED or Stolen from the City of *Annapolis*, about the 20th of *October* past, from the *Virginia* Post-Rider, a small Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock W, some Saddle Spots on his Back, a Star in his Forehead, some grey Hairs in his Face, is about 6 Years Old, and it is very probable he is at some Plantation near Town.

Whoever brings the said Horse to *Jonas Green*, in the City of *Annapolis*, shall have Ten Shillings Reward, and no Questions ask'd.

RAN away from the Subscriber in *Fairfax* County, in *Virginia*, on the 8th of *September* last, an *English* indented Servant Woman, named *Elizabeth Bishop*, about 23 Years of Age, of a low Stature, fair Skin, black Eyes, black Hair, a Scar on her Breast, and loves Drink; had on when she went away, a Callico Gown and Petticoat, a Pair of Stays, a Hoop Coat, a black Furr'd Hat, a Pair of Callamanco Shoes, a Muslin Apron, and several other Things too tedious to mention: It is suspected she was carried away, by Capt. *Tipple's* Boatswain, from *Potowmack* River to *Patuxent*, where the Ship lies, or that he has left her at the Mouth of the River.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings her to her Master, shall have Five Pistoles Reward, besides what the Law allows, and Five Pistoles more if it can be proved that the said Boatswain conceals her.

GERRARD ALEXANDER.

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A Tract of Land called *Piles Hall*, containing 360 Acres, lying in the said County, near *Israel Friend's* Mill-Road, and near where the said Road crosses *Ketawkin* Hill.

A Tract of Land called *Danby*, containing 125 Acres:

And also,

A Tract of Land called *Diamond*, containing 200 Acres: Each lying in *Prince George's* County, on the Piney Branch of *Potowmack* River.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase the above Lands, may apply to Capt. *James Edmonston*, Mr. *Joseph Chaplain*, or

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